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**Missouri Department of Transportation** 

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Re: Hurricane Ida Emergency Waiver for IRP and IFTA

Today, the Missouri Department of Transportation suspended all Missouri International Registration Plan and International Fuel Tax Agreement trip and fuel permit requirements, including fees, for vehicles not currently registered or reported under Missouri Revised Statute 301 (IRP) and/or Missouri Revised Statute 142 (IFTA) traveling through or in Missouri to assist in the direct relief efforts in disaster areas caused by Hurricane Ida. The disaster areas are defined in Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration's Regional Emergency Declaration 2021-008 as Alabama, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Tennessee, and Texas. A copy of this Trip and Fuel waiver document must be retained in each vehicle operating under this waiver and retained with the records kept by the driver for audit purposes.

## **Emergency Waiver for IRP and IFTA**

The IRP and IFTA waiver shall not be construed to allow any vehicle to operate in Missouri without valid registration and insurance from its base state nor shall any vehicle exceed weight limits posted for bridges and like structures. Motor carriers or drivers currently subject to a state or federal out-of-service order are not eligible for the relief granted by this notice.

This waiver does not imply or grant an exception to any federal laws administered by the Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, U.S. Department of Transportation or other state laws regarding the reporting, registration or operation of commercial motor vehicles.

This waiver shall remain in effect until September 28, 2021.

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